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GNTX-00100 #7

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Robert J. Christy

Serial No. 09/879,746

Filed: June 11, 2001

For: Detection of Estrogen Receptor- $\beta$   
and Methods for Diagnosis and Classification  
of Cancer§  
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*Via regular mail and  
telecopier 703.308.6916***PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Dear Ms. Faison:

This is a request under the provision of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of June 10, 2002, in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as following (check time period desired):

☐ One Month    ☐ Two Months    ☐ Three Months    ☒ Four Months    ☐ Five Months

The fee for the extension of time is \$720 and is to be paid as follows:

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1085.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-1085.

A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

McDaniel & Associates

*Jonathan D. HW* Reg. No. 44,790  
directed to sign on behalf of

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Dear Ms. Faison:

Pursuant to your telephone conversation with my assistant on December 9, 2002, attached please find the Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and the Request for Reconsideration of Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a). Please know the original of these documents are being put in First Class Mail today.

Please let us know if you need anything else or have any questions.

C. Steven McDaniel